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TEXTS OF "MEMORANDUM AGREEMENT" AND STATE DEPARTMENT POSITION PROVIDED J.L. MACANGUS (DIRECTOR, INTERNATIONAL MARITIME TRANSPORT BRANCH, CANADIAN TRANSPORT COMMISSION) JULY 21. IN CONVERSATION WITH TCO FOLLOWING DAY MACANGUS ADVISED HE FORESAW NO SIGNIFICANT IMPACT ON CANADA FROM US-USSR AGREEMENT. SOVIET PARTICIPATION IN CANADIAN GENERAL CARGO TRADE IS PRESENTLY MINIMAL (WITH EXCEPTION OF CUBA WHERE SOVIET VESSELS CARRY 80 PERCENT OF GOODS). HOWEVER, HE SPECULATED THAT SOVIETS MIGHT NOT RAISE RATES ON CANADIAN WEST COAST ROUTES (WHERE THEY PRESENTLY FUNCTION AS INDEPENDENTS) IN EFFORT TO DIVERT U.S. CARGOES THROUGH VANCOUVER AND IF THIS RESULTED IN SIGNIFICANT POACHING FROM U.S. PORTS AMERICAN INTERESTS WOULD BECOME UNHAPPY WITH CONSEQUENT EFFECTS UPON U.S.-CANADIAN RELATIONS.

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